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**REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED JUNE 29, 2004**

This Reply is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on June 29, 2004 in connection with the above-identified patent application.

The Examiner requires restriction to one of the following two groups of claims:

Group I – Claims 1-7, drawn to a memory device, classified in class 257, subclass 004.

Group II – Claims 8-20, drawn to a method for fabricating a memory cell, classified in class 438, subclass 129.

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Applicants' representative hereby elects with traverse Group I (Claims 1-7, drawn to a memory device, classified in class 257, subclass 004) for further prosecution on the merits.

Should there be any questions regarding this paper, the Examiner is invited to contact applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone number below.

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